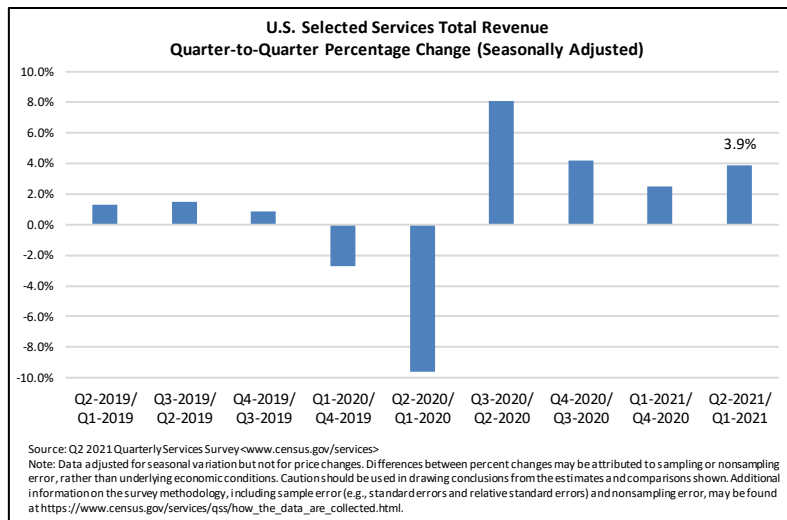


QUARTERLY SELECTED SERVICES ESTIMATES, SECOND QUARTER 2021

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September 9, 2021 — The U.S. Census Bureau announced the following selected services estimates for the second calendar quarter of 2021:

 SELECTED SERVICES TOTAL REVENUE		
2Q 2021	\$4,366.4 billion	+3.9 %
1Q 2021 (revised)	\$4,201.1 billion	+2.5 %
Next release: November 19, 2021		
Data are adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Quarterly Services Survey, September 9, 2021		



Selected Services Total

U.S. selected services total revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$4,366.4 billion, an increase of 3.9 percent (± 0.4 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 20.1 percent (± 0.6 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The first quarter of 2021 to second quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from the advance estimate of 4.0 percent (± 0.4 percent).

Utilities

U.S. utilities revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$158.1 billion, an increase of 0.3 percent (± 1.5 percent)* from the first quarter of 2021 and up 11.4 percent (± 1.5 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 6.6 percent (± 2.5 percent) to 6.7 percent (± 2.5 percent).

Transportation and warehousing

U.S. transportation and warehousing revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$272.1 billion, an increase of 7.5 percent (± 1.3 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 42.7 percent (± 2.3 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth

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quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 6.0 percent (± 1.3 percent) to 6.1 percent (± 1.7 percent).

Information

U.S. information sector revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$522.9 billion, an increase of 3.6 percent (± 0.8 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 20.5 percent (± 1.5 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was not revised from the 4.6 percent (± 0.6 percent).

Finance and insurance

U.S. finance and insurance revenue for the second quarter of 2021, not adjusted for seasonal variation, or price changes, was \$1,286.2 billion, an increase of 1.6 percent (± 0.8 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 9.2 percent (± 1.3 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The first quarter of 2021 to second quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from the advance estimate of 1.9 percent (± 0.8 percent).

Real estate and rental and leasing

U.S. real estate and rental and leasing revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$201.3 billion, an increase of 2.6 percent (± 1.9 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 32.6 percent (± 2.3 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 1.2 percent (± 1.5 percent)* to 1.5 percent (± 1.5 percent)*.

Professional, scientific, and technical services

U.S. professional, scientific, and technical services revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$548.3 billion, an increase of 2.3 percent (± 1.3 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 16.7 percent (± 1.1 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 4.1 percent (± 1.7 percent) to 4.2 percent (± 1.7 percent).

Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services

U.S. administrative and support and waste management and remediation services revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$304.0 billion, an increase of 4.5 percent (± 2.1 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 25.9 percent (± 2.1 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 5.9 percent (± 2.1 percent) to 6.2 percent (± 2.1 percent).

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Educational services

U.S. educational services revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$18.4 billion, an increase of 6.4 percent (± 3.6 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 43.9 percent (± 9.7 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 3.5 percent (± 3.6 percent)* to 3.2 percent (± 3.6 percent)*.

Health care and social assistance

U.S. healthcare and social assistance services revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$752.4 billion, an increase of 3.5 percent (± 0.6 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 18.6 percent (± 2.1 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from -1.4 percent (± 0.6 percent) to -1.5 percent (± 0.4 percent).

Arts, entertainment, and recreation

U.S. arts, entertainment and recreation services revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$62.3 billion, an increase of 11.3 percent (± 4.2 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 95.7 percent (± 10.6 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 12.9 percent (± 3.6 percent) to 12.2 percent (± 3.6 percent).

Accommodation

U.S. accommodation revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$58.6 billion, an increase of 31.9 percent (± 2.3 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 173.6 percent (± 10.0 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was not revised from the 7.2 percent (± 2.3 percent).

Other services (except public administration)

U.S. other services (except public administration) revenue for the second quarter of 2021, adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes, was \$177.7 billion, an increase of 12.4 percent (± 3.6 percent) from the first quarter of 2021 and up 37.2 percent (± 6.1 percent) from the second quarter of 2020. The fourth quarter of 2020 to first quarter of 2021 percentage change was revised from 1.1 percent (± 3.2 percent)* to 1.2 percent (± 3.2 percent)*.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Statement Regarding COVID-19 Impact:

The Census Bureau continues to monitor response and data quality and has determined that estimates in this release meet publication standards. For more information, see <[COVID-19 FAQs](#)>.

America Counts: Stories Behind the Numbers

Quarterly Services Survey estimates were recently featured in an [America Counts article](#) discussing COVID-19's effect on health care.

Intention to Expand Seasonal Adjustment

Beginning with the March 2022 release for the fourth quarter of 2021, we anticipate the introduction of new seasonally adjusted estimates of revenue for selected industries within NAICS sectors 52, 53, and 62 into the Full Quarterly Services Report. For more information, please visit our seasonal adjustment FAQs <https://www.census.gov/services/qss/seasonally_adjusted_faqs.html>.

Upcoming Benchmarking

Effective with the February 2022 advance release for the fourth quarter of 2021, not seasonally adjusted quarterly services estimates will be revised to reflect historical corrections and results of the 2020 Service Annual Survey. The seasonally adjusted Selected Services Total will be revised to reflect historical corrections, results of the 2020 Service Annual Survey, and new seasonal factors.

Release Schedule

The third quarter 2021 Advance Quarterly Services Report is scheduled for release on November 19, 2021. View the full schedule in the Economic Briefing Room: <www.census.gov/economic-indicators/>. Additional industry detail and estimates of revenue, expenses, inpatient days, and discharges can be found at <www.census.gov/services/>.

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*The 90 percent confidence interval includes zero. There is insufficient evidence to conclude that the actual change is different from zero.

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2012 NAICS code ²	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change					
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 (r)	4Q 2020 (r)	3Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2020 (r)	1Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020 (r)	4Q 2020 from 3Q 2020 (r)	3Q 2020 from 2Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020 (r)
	Selected Services Total³	4,366,385	4,201,143	4,097,627	3,930,701	3,635,512	4,020,335	3.9	2.5	4.2	8.1	20.1	4.5
22	Utilities^{4,5}	158,138	157,656	147,794	149,842	141,963	143,780	0.3	6.7	-1.4	5.6	11.4	9.7
2211	Electric power generation, transmission and distribution.....	122,554	122,876	115,995	119,763	112,029	115,030	-0.3	5.9	-3.1	6.9	9.4	6.8
2212	Natural gas distribution.....	31,179	30,537	27,703	26,075	26,079	24,842	2.1	10.2	6.2	2	19.6	22.9
2213	Water, sewage and other systems.....	4,405	4,243	4,096	4,004	3,855	3,908	3.8	3.6	2.3	3.9	14.3	8.6
48-49	Transportation and warehousing^{6,7}	272,065	253,036	238,496	220,924	190,676	258,788	7.5	6.1	8.0	15.9	42.7	-2.2
481	Air transportation.....	40,485	30,297	27,419	24,551	\$	49,581	33.6	10.5	11.7	\$	\$	-38.9
483	Water transportation.....	6,784	6,341	5,939	5,400	6,098	11,665	7.0	6.8	10.0	-11.4	11.2	-45.6
4831	Deep sea, coastal, and Great Lakes water transportation.....	5,155	4,805	4,410	4,057	4,394	9,916	7.3	9.0	8.7	-7.7	17.3	-51.5
484	Truck transportation ⁴	88,134	84,158	80,527	77,136	67,366	81,316	4.7	4.5	4.4	14.5	30.8	3.5
4841	General freight trucking.....	60,869	58,216	54,916	51,908	45,847	54,648	4.6	6.0	5.8	13.2	32.8	6.5
48412	General freight trucking, long-distance.....	48,756	46,825	44,565	42,154	37,419	44,905	4.1	5.1	5.7	12.7	30.3	4.3
4842	Specialized freight trucking.....	27,265	25,942	25,611	25,228	21,519	26,668	5.1	1.3	1.5	17.2	26.7	-2.7
485	Transit and ground passenger transportation.....	11,255	9,512	9,735	7,811	7,237	13,430	18.3	-2.3	24.6	7.9	55.5	-29.2
486	Pipeline transportation.....	15,066	16,842	14,403	14,403	13,282	15,011	-10.5	16.9	2	8.4	13.4	12.2
487	Scenic and sightseeing transportation.....	745	721	420	250	147	1,034	3.3	71.7	68.0	70.1	406.8	-30.3
488	Support activities for transportation.....	62,469	59,590	55,971	50,702	43,459	49,972	4.8	6.5	10.4	16.7	43.7	19.2
492	Couriers and messengers.....	34,639	33,485	32,234	29,850	28,662	26,516	3.4	3.9	8.0	4.1	20.9	26.3
51	Information	522,883	504,713	482,547	459,578	433,762	450,195	3.6	4.6	5.0	6.0	20.5	12.1
511	Publishing industries (except Internet) ⁴	130,969	126,463	119,481	115,729	108,938	108,851	3.6	5.8	3.2	6.2	20.2	16.2
5111	Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers ⁴	19,635	19,823	19,609	19,093	17,241	20,480	-0.9	1.1	2.7	10.7	13.9	-3.2
51111	Newspaper publishers.....	5,227	5,309	5,065	5,017	4,699	5,693	-1.5	4.8	1.0	6.8	11.2	-6.7
51112	Periodical publishers.....	5,508	5,596	5,808	5,624	5,005	6,274	-1.6	-3.7	3.3	12.4	10.0	-10.8
5111 pt	Book, directory and mailing list, and other publishers ⁸	8,900	8,918	8,736	8,452	7,537	8,513	-0.2	2.1	3.4	12.1	18.1	4.8
5112	Software publishers.....	111,334	106,640	99,872	96,636	91,697	88,371	4.4	6.8	3.3	5.4	21.4	20.7
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries	23,940	22,619	22,655	19,468	18,576	24,582	5.8	-0.2	16.4	4.8	28.9	-8.0
515	Broadcasting (except Internet) ⁴	47,714	46,737	47,299	45,358	40,475	45,652	2.1	-1.2	4.3	12.1	17.9	2.4
5151	Radio and television broadcasting.....	23,723	22,916	23,575	21,874	19,106	23,272	3.5	-2.8	7.8	14.5	24.2	-1.5
5152	Cable and other subscription programming.....	23,991	23,821	23,724	23,484	21,369	22,380	0.7	0.4	1.0	9.9	12.3	6.4
5171	Wired telecommunications carriers.....	80,667	80,455	79,936	78,465	78,264	79,717	0.3	0.6	1.9	0.3	3.1	0.9
5172	Wireless telecommunications carriers (except satellite).....	73,893	72,786	71,243	69,448	66,803	68,652	1.5	2.2	2.6	4.0	10.6	6.0
518	Data processing, hosting, and related services.....	64,177	61,317	57,960	53,924	50,940	51,860	4.7	5.8	7.5	5.9	26.0	18.2
519	Other information services.....	89,481	80,194	71,739	66,551	57,995	58,090	11.6	11.8	7.8	14.8	54.3	38.1
5223	Activities related to credit intermediation.....	33,439	35,338	31,478	29,846	26,656	28,995	-5.4	12.3	5.5	12.0	25.4	21.9
53	Real estate and rental and leasing.....	201,318	196,161	193,226	178,508	151,837	191,389	2.6	1.5	8.2	17.6	32.6	2.5
531	Real estate.....	145,067	140,260	138,287	130,008	112,395	134,058	3.4	1.4	6.4	15.7	29.1	4.6
5312	Offices of real estate agents and brokers.....	41,127	41,815	41,454	36,287	23,890	33,332	-1.6	0.9	14.2	51.9	72.2	25.5
532	Rental and leasing services	44,559	40,068	38,004	37,499	31,454	42,622	11.2	5.4	1.3	19.2	41.7	-6.0
5321	Automotive equipment rental and leasing ⁴	\$	\$	15,921	15,453	10,809	17,201	\$	\$	3.0	43.0	\$	\$
53211	Passenger car rental and leasing.....	\$	\$	8,972	8,642	\$	\$	\$	\$	3.8	\$	\$	\$
53212	Truck, utility trailer, and RV (recreational vehicle) rental and leasing.....	7,378	7,208	6,949	6,811	6,023	6,670	2.4	3.7	2.0	13.1	22.5	8.1
5324	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing.....	18,080	17,461	16,377	16,290	15,315	19,734	3.5	6.6	0.5	6.4	18.1	-11.5
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services⁹	548,329	536,148	514,409	492,694	469,866	527,606	2.3	4.2	4.4	4.9	16.7	1.6
5411	Legal services ⁹	79,852	84,013	79,077	73,816	72,785	79,018	-5.0	6.2	7.1	1.4	9.7	6.3
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	44,114	43,141	44,148	43,863	37,530	42,249	2.3	-2.3	0.6	16.9	17.5	2.1
5413	Architectural, engineering, and related services.....	88,396	85,812	79,521	78,051	78,850	89,026	3.0	7.9	1.9	-1.0	12.1	-3.6
54133	Engineering services.....	66,350	64,059	59,174	57,810	58,705	66,083	3.6	8.3	2.4	-1.5	13.0	-3.1
5415	Computer systems design and related services.....	127,624	123,669	121,139	118,601	119,283	128,333	3.2	2.1	2.1	-0.6	7.0	-3.6
5416	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services.....	78,191	73,428	69,909	65,654	63,157	72,447	6.5	5.0	6.5	4.0	23.8	1.4
5417	Scientific research and development services.....	56,669	54,936	52,922	51,299	44,720	49,682	3.2	3.8	3.2	14.7	26.7	10.6
5418	Advertising, public relations, and related services.....	36,551	35,036	33,809	30,915	27,126	35,062	4.3	3.6	9.4	14.0	34.7	-0.1
5419	Other professional, scientific, and technical services.....	30,124	29,550	27,910	\$	22,411	24,528	1.9	5.9	\$	\$	34.4	20.5
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services⁴	304,004	291,041	274,109	261,133	241,515	273,734	4.5	6.2	5.0	8.1	25.9	6.3
561	Administrative and support services ⁴	274,232	261,767	245,705	233,419	216,144	245,216	4.8	6.5	5.3	8.0	26.9	6.7
5613	Employment services	129,243	122,430	111,090	102,626	98,108	107,528	5.6	10.2	8.2	4.6	31.7	13.9
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services	9,959	6,624	5,637	5,559	2,736	13,312	50.3	17.5	1.4	103.2	264.0	-50.2
561 pt	Other administrative and support services ¹⁰	135,030	132,713	128,978	125,234	115,300	124,376	1.7	2.9	3.0	8.6	17.1	6.7
562	Waste management and remediation services	29,772	29,274	28,404	27,714	25,371	28,518	1.7	3.1	2.5	9.2	17.3	2.7
61	Educational services¹¹	18,377	17,278	16,746	15,776	12,771	17,572	6.4	3.2	6.1	23.5	43.9	-1.7
6116	Other schools and instruction.....	6,911	5,905	5,077	4,623	3,705	6,341	17.0	16.3	9.8	24.8	86.5	-6.9
6117	Educational support services.....	4,892	4,649	4,838	4,342	3,415	4,910	5.2	-3.9	11.4	27.1	43.3	-5.3
62	Health care and social assistance⁴	752,370	726,744	737,819	708,479	634,240	688,678	3.5	-1.5	4.1	11.7	18.6	5.5
	Health care and social assistance - tax-exempt ⁴	388,770	374,093	382,154	363,190	338,395	342,347	3.9	-2.1	5.2	7.3	14.9	9.3
621	Ambulatory health care services ⁴	296,883	288,339	291,278	281,374	238,280	282,812	3.0	-1.0	3.5	18.1	24.6	2.0
	Ambulatory health care services - taxable ¹²	264,961	258,105	260,212	251,713	210,821	253,688	2.7	-0.8	3.4	19.4	25.7	1.7
	Ambulatory health care services - tax-exempt ¹³	31,922	30,234	31,066	29,661	27,459	29,124	5.6	-2.7	4.7	8.0	16.3	3.8
6211	Offices of physicians - taxable.....	129,495	126,664	127,826	123,990	110,005	129,466	2.2	-0.9	3.1	12.7	17.7	-2.2
6212	Offices of dentists - taxable.....	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	32,296	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

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6213	Offices of other health practitioners - taxable.....	26,159	25,635	S	S	S	25,539	2.0	S	S	S	S	0.4
6214	Outpatient care centers ⁴	49,443	47,361	48,386	46,070	41,169	46,402	4.4	-2.1	5.0	11.9	20.1	2.1
	Outpatient care centers - taxable.....	28,235	27,528	27,611	26,569	23,179	26,528	2.6	-0.3	3.9	14.6	21.8	3.8
	Outpatient care centers - tax-exempt.....	21,208	19,833	20,775	19,501	17,990	19,874	6.9	-4.5	6.5	8.4	17.9	-0.2
6215	Medical and diagnostic laboratories - taxable.....	16,262	17,512	18,358	16,801	11,911	13,374	-7.1	-4.6	9.3	41.1	36.5	30.9
6216	Home health care services ⁴	25,707	25,080	26,003	25,545	24,111	24,894	2.5	-3.5	1.8	5.9	6.6	0.7
	Home health care services - taxable.....	19,914	19,354	20,250	19,821	18,506	19,416	2.9	-4.4	2.2	7.1	7.6	-0.3
	Home health care services - tax-exempt.....	5,793	5,726	5,753	5,724	5,605	5,478	1.2	-0.5	0.5	2.1	3.4	4.5
622	Hospitals ⁴	327,507	315,136	318,120	305,211	278,560	285,584	3.9	-0.9	4.2	9.6	17.6	10.3
	Hospitals - taxable.....	38,099	36,231	36,268	35,500	29,737	33,499	5.2	-0.1	2.2	19.4	28.1	8.2
	Hospitals - tax-exempt.....	289,408	278,905	281,852	269,711	248,823	252,085	3.8	-1.0	4.5	8.4	16.3	10.6
6221	General medical and surgical hospitals.....	305,055	296,078	296,320	286,946	259,857	267,482	3.0	-0.1	3.3	10.4	17.4	10.7
6222	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals.....	7,223	6,643	6,902	6,761	6,420	6,568	8.7	-3.8	2.1	5.3	12.5	1.1
	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals - tax-exempt.....	5,104	4,695	4,917	4,825	4,660	4,698	8.7	-4.5	1.9	3.5	9.5	-0.1
623	Nursing and residential care facilities.....	66,898	64,303	66,237	64,470	65,466	64,725	4.0	-2.9	2.7	-1.5	2.2	-0.7
	Nursing and residential care facilities - tax-exempt.....	23,633	22,701	23,127	22,568	22,961	22,806	4.1	-1.8	2.5	-1.7	2.9	-0.5
624	Social assistance.....	61,082	58,966	62,184	57,424	51,934	55,557	3.6	-5.2	8.3	10.6	17.6	6.1
	Social assistance - tax-exempt.....	43,807	42,253	46,109	41,250	39,152	38,332	3.7	-8.4	11.8	5.4	11.9	10.2
6241	Individual and family services.....	33,464	30,849	31,793	31,889	28,241	28,790	8.5	-3.0	-0.3	12.9	18.5	7.2
6242	Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services.....	12,207	13,138	15,423	12,029	13,610	10,279	-7.1	-14.8	28.2	-11.6	-10.3	27.8
6244	Child day care services.....	12,585	11,455	11,028	10,586	7,894	12,651	9.9	3.9	4.2	34.1	59.4	-9.5
	Child day care services - tax-exempt.....	4,980	4,326	4,222	3,973	3,353	4,495	15.1	2.5	6.3	18.5	48.5	-3.8
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation⁴.....	62,294	55,952	49,856	45,875	31,825	64,082	11.3	12.2	8.7	44.1	95.7	-12.7
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - taxable ⁴	49,560	45,041	38,093	35,794	23,235	53,413	10.0	18.2	6.4	54.1	113.3	-15.7
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - tax-exempt ⁴	12,734	10,911	11,763	10,081	8,590	10,669	16.7	-7.2	16.7	17.4	48.2	2.3
711	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries ⁴	24,674	23,386	19,502	16,971	12,588	28,718	5.5	19.9	14.9	34.8	96.0	-18.6
	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries - taxable ⁴	22,215	21,659	17,509	15,274	11,082	25,987	2.6	23.7	14.6	37.8	100.5	-16.7
7111	Performing arts companies ⁴	1,832	1,390	1,443	1,253	1,286	3,784	31.8	-3.7	15.2	-2.6	42.5	-63.3
	Performing arts companies - taxable.....	708	546	438	420	472	2,268	29.7	24.7	4.3	-11.0	50.0	-75.9
	Performing arts companies - tax-exempt.....	1,124	844	1,005	833	814	1,516	33.2	-16.0	20.6	2.3	38.1	-44.3
7112	Spectator sports - taxable.....	12,093	12,025	7,742	7,820	3,848	10,975	0.6	55.3	-1.0	103.2	214.3	9.6
7113	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events ¹⁴	3,539	2,949	3,501	3,062	1,327	5,852	20.0	-15.8	14.3	130.7	166.7	-49.6
	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events - taxable.....	2,204	2,066	2,513	2,198	635	4,637	6.7	-17.8	14.3	246.1	247.1	-55.4
7114	Agents and managers for artists, athletes, entertainers, and other public figures - taxable.....	2,245	1,979	1,715	1,345	1,116	2,315	13.4	15.4	27.5	20.5	101.2	-14.5
7115	Independent artists, writers, and performers - taxable.....	4,965	5,043	5,101	S	5,011	5,792	-1.5	-1.1	S	S	-0.9	-12.9
712	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions ⁴	5,935	5,013	5,561	4,303	3,610	3,642	18.4	-9.9	29.2	19.2	64.4	37.6
	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions - tax-exempt.....	5,345	4,484	5,138	3,955	3,420	3,081	19.2	-12.7	29.9	15.6	56.3	45.5
713	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries ⁴	31,685	27,553	24,793	24,601	15,627	31,722	15.0	11.1	0.8	57.4	102.8	-13.1
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - taxable ⁴	26,755	22,853	20,161	20,172	11,963	26,865	17.1	13.4	-0.1	68.6	123.6	-14.9
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - tax-exempt.....	4,930	4,700	4,632	4,429	3,664	4,857	4.9	1.5	4.6	20.9	34.6	-3.2
7131	Amusement parks and arcades - taxable.....	4,515	2,950	2,243	2,057	1,002	5,043	53.1	31.5	9.0	105.3	350.6	-41.5
7132	Gambling industries - taxable.....	7,502	7,453	6,347	6,378	3,345	6,260	0.7	17.4	-0.5	90.7	124.3	19.1
7139	Other amusement and recreation industries ⁴	19,668	17,150	16,203	16,166	11,280	20,419	14.7	5.8	0.2	43.3	74.4	-16.0
	Other amusement and recreation industries - taxable.....	14,738	12,450	11,571	11,737	7,616	15,562	18.4	7.6	-1.4	54.1	93.5	-20.0
	Other amusement and recreation industries - tax-exempt.....	4,930	4,700	4,632	4,429	3,664	4,857	4.9	1.5	4.6	20.9	34.6	-3.2
721	Accommodation⁴.....	58,619	44,432	41,448	40,439	21,426	59,067	31.9	7.2	2.5	88.7	173.6	-24.8
7211	Traveler accommodation.....	56,156	42,587	39,448	38,769	20,119	57,165	31.9	8.0	1.8	92.7	179.1	-25.5
7212	RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps.....	1,913	1,425	1,605	1,262	954	1,372	34.2	-11.2	27.2	32.3	100.5	3.9
7213	Rooming and boarding houses.....	550	420	395	408	353	530	31.0	6.3	-3.2	15.6	55.8	-20.8
81	Other services (except public administration)^{4,15}.....	177,729	158,124	156,203	149,398	129,563	130,064	12.4	1.2	4.6	15.3	37.2	21.6
811	Repair and maintenance.....	50,864	47,434	47,011	48,137	41,086	50,828	7.2	0.9	-2.3	17.2	23.8	-6.7
8111	Automotive repair and maintenance.....	31,868	30,056	30,252	31,193	26,271	32,407	6.0	-0.6	-3.0	18.7	21.3	-7.3
8114	Personal and household goods repair and maintenance.....	3,189	3,164	2,813	S	S	2,424	0.8	12.5	S	S	S	30.5
812	Personal and laundry services ¹⁶	28,651	27,076	S	23,397	18,535	S	5.8	S	S	26.2	54.6	S
8121	Personal care services.....	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
8123	Drycleaning and laundry services.....	6,821	6,612	6,296	6,179	5,519	7,178	3.2	5.0	1.9	12.0	23.6	-7.9
8129	Other personal services.....	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
813	organizations - tax-exempt ¹	98,214	83,614	84,355	77,864	69,942	49,377	17.5	-0.9	8.3	11.3	40.4	69.3

(p) Preliminary estimate. (r) Revised estimate. Z Absolute value is less than .05.

S Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high variability (coefficient of variation greater than 30%), poor response quality (total quantity response rate is less than 50%) or other concerns about the estimate's quality. Unpublished estimates derived from this table by subtraction are subject to these same limitations and should not be attributed to the U.S. Census Bureau. For a description of publication standards and the total quantity response rate, see www.census.gov/about/policies/quality/standards/standardf1.html.

(1) The seasonal factors are based on a short time series that may not have stable seasonal patterns. As more estimates are added to the time series, large revisions in seasonal factors and consequently historical estimates may be observed. Data users should exercise caution when drawing inferences based on the seasonally adjusted estimates. Unless otherwise specified, seasonally adjusted estimates are obtained using a direct seasonal adjustment at the published NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) level.

Table 1a. Selected Services - Estimated Quarterly Revenue for Employer Firms, Seasonally Adjusted¹[Estimates are adjusted for seasonal variation but not for price changes and are based on data from the Quarterly Services Survey. For additional information see www.census.gov/services]

2012 NAICS code ²	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change					
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 (r)	4Q 2020 (r)	3Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2020 (r)	1Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020 (r)	4Q 2020 from 3Q 2020 (r)	3Q 2020 from 2Q 2020 (r)	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020 (r)

(2) For a full description of the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes used in this table, see the 2012 NAICS manual or www.census.gov/naics/.

(3) Includes NAICS 22 (Utilities), NAICS 48-49 (Transportation and warehousing), NAICS 51 (Information), NAICS 52 (Finance and insurance), NAICS 53 (Real estate and rental and leasing), NAICS 54 (Selected professional, scientific, and technical services), NAICS 56 (Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services), NAICS 61 (Educational services), NAICS 62 (Health care and social assistance), NAICS 71 (Arts, entertainment, and recreation), NAICS 721 (Accommodation), and NAICS 81 (Other services (except public administration)). Excludes government owned utilities, NAICS 482 (Rail transportation), NAICS 491 (Postal Service), NAICS 525 (Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles), NAICS 54112 (Offices of notaries), NAICS 6111 (Elementary and secondary schools), NAICS 6112 (Junior colleges), NAICS 6113 (Colleges, universities, and professional schools), NAICS 8131 (Religious organizations), NAICS 81393 (Labor unions and similar labor organizations), NAICS 81394 (Political organizations), and NAICS 814 (Private households).

(4) Indicates seasonally adjusted estimates that are obtained by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for the detailed NAICS that comprise the respective level.

(5) Excludes government owned utilities.

(6) Seasonally adjusted estimates for series 48-49 are obtained indirectly by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for series 481, 483, 484, 485, 496, 487, 488, and 492, and the not seasonally adjusted estimates for series 493 (see Table 1b).

(7) Excludes NAICS 482 (Rail transportation) and 491 (Postal service).

(8) Includes NAICS 51113 (Book publishers), 51114 (Directory and mailing list publishers), and 51119 (Other publishers).

(9) Excludes NAICS 54112 (Offices of notaries).

(10) Includes NAICS 5611 (Office administrative services), 5612 (Facilities support services), 5614 (Business support services), 5616 (Investigation and security services), 5617 (Services to buildings and dwellings), and 5619 (Other support services).

(11) Excludes NAICS 6111 (Elementary and secondary schools), 6112 (Junior colleges), and 6113 (Colleges, universities, and professional schools).

(12) Seasonally adjusted estimates for taxable series 621 are obtained indirectly by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for taxable series 6211, 6212, 6213, 6214, 6215, and 6216, and the not seasonally adjusted estimates for taxable series 6219 (see Table 1b).

(13) Seasonally adjusted estimates for tax-exempt series 621 are obtained indirectly by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for tax-exempt series 6214 and 6216, and the not seasonally adjusted estimates for tax-exempt series 6219 (see Table 1b).

(14) Seasonally adjusted estimates for series 7113 are obtained indirectly by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for taxable series 7113 and the not seasonally adjusted estimates for tax-exempt series 7113 (see Table 1b).

(15) Excludes NAICS 8131 (Religious organizations), 81393 (Labor unions and similar labor organizations), 81394 (Political organizations), and 814 (Private households).

(16) Seasonally adjusted estimates for series 812 are obtained indirectly by summing the seasonally adjusted estimates for series 8121, 8123, and 8129, and the not seasonally adjusted estimates for series 8122 (see Table 1b).

(17) Excludes NAICS 8131 (Religious organizations), 81393 (Labor unions and similar labor organizations), 81394 (Political organizations).

Note: Estimates cover taxable and tax-exempt firms unless otherwise specified. Additionally, estimates for some sectors and subsectors may include data for kinds of business not shown. Estimated measures of sampling variability may be found in Table 2 and at <https://www.census.gov/econ/currentdata/dbsearch?program=QSS&startYear=2003&endYear=2021&categories=000000A&dataType=QREV&geoLevel=US&adjusted=1¬Adjusted=0&errorData=0>.

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Table 1b. Selected Services - Estimated Quarterly Revenue for Employer Firms, Not Seasonally Adjusted

[Estimates are not adjusted for seasonal variation or for price changes and are based on data from the Quarterly Services Survey. For additional information see www.census.gov/services]

2012 NAICS code ¹	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change				Year to date		
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021	4Q 2020	3Q 2020	2Q 2020	1Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020	2021 (p)	2020	2021 from 2020 (p)
	Selected Services Total²	4,370,751	4,133,925	4,150,896	3,938,562	3,639,148	3,951,989	5.7	-0.4	20.1	4.6	8,504,676	7,591,137	12.0
22	Utilities³	144,573	166,478	144,427	158,774	130,224	150,119	-13.2	15.3	11.0	10.9	311,051	280,343	11.0
2211	Electric power generation, transmission and distribution.....	116,426	118,452	109,035	137,129	106,540	110,659	-1.7	8.6	9.3	7.0	234,878	217,199	8.1
2212	Natural gas distribution.....	23,821	44,156	31,415	17,105	19,898	35,896	-46.1	40.6	19.7	23.0	67,977	55,794	21.8
2213	Water, sewage and other systems.....	4,326	3,870	3,977	4,540	3,786	3,564	11.8	-2.7	14.3	8.6	8,196	7,350	11.5
48-49	Transportation and warehousing⁴	278,150	242,866	240,444	223,455	194,176	246,885	14.5	1.0	43.2	-1.6	521,016	441,061	18.1
481	Air transportation.....	42,428	28,116	26,953	25,558	S	45,664	50.9	4.3	S	-38.4	70,544	S	S
483	Water transportation.....	6,757	5,777	5,767	6,070	6,061	10,592	17.0	0.2	11.5	-45.5	12,534	16,653	-24.7
4831	Deep sea, coastal, and Great Lakes water transportation.....	5,114	4,339	4,260	4,625	4,350	8,944	17.9	1.9	17.6	-51.5	9,453	13,294	-28.9
4832	Inland water transportation.....	1,643	1,438	1,507	1,445	1,711	1,648	14.3	-4.6	-4.0	-12.7	3,081	3,359	-8.3
484	Truck transportation.....	91,151	79,358	80,249	79,311	69,504	76,675	14.9	-1.1	31.1	3.5	170,509	146,179	16.6
4841	General freight trucking.....	62,086	55,829	54,971	52,998	46,672	52,407	11.2	1.6	33.0	6.5	117,915	99,079	19.0
48412	General freight trucking, long-distance.....	49,634	44,952	44,520	43,124	38,055	43,109	10.4	1.0	30.4	4.3	94,586	81,164	16.5
4842	Specialized freight trucking.....	29,065	23,529	25,278	26,313	22,832	24,268	23.5	-6.9	27.3	-3.0	52,594	47,100	11.7
485	Transit and ground passenger transportation.....	11,413	9,512	10,085	7,405	7,360	13,430	20.0	-5.7	55.1	-29.2	20,925	20,790	0.6
486	Pipeline transportation.....	14,945	17,229	14,619	14,029	13,083	15,341	-13.3	17.9	14.2	12.3	32,174	28,424	13.2
487	Scenic and sightseeing transportation.....	811	405	327	393	160	585	100.2	23.9	406.9	-30.8	1,216	745	63.2
488	Support activities for transportation.....	63,968	57,564	56,363	50,854	44,459	48,323	11.1	2.1	43.9	19.1	121,532	92,782	31.0
492	Couriers and messengers.....	34,189	32,815	34,233	29,014	28,289	26,012	4.2	-4.1	20.9	26.2	67,004	54,301	23.4
493	Warehousing and storage.....	12,488	12,090	11,848	10,821	9,769	10,263	3.3	2.0	27.8	17.8	24,578	20,032	22.7
51	Information.....	517,654	493,105	505,709	452,225	429,424	440,291	5.0	-2.5	20.5	12.0	1,010,759	869,715	16.2
511	Publishing industries (except Internet).....	131,151	124,248	125,216	112,205	108,931	106,486	5.6	-0.8	20.4	16.7	255,399	215,417	18.6
5111	Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers.....	19,594	18,035	20,550	19,918	17,234	18,645	8.6	-12.2	13.7	-3.3	37,629	35,879	4.9
51111	Newspaper publishers.....	5,211	5,038	5,465	4,892	4,680	5,408	3.4	-7.8	11.3	-6.8	10,249	10,088	1.6
51112	Periodical publishers.....	5,536	5,283	6,122	5,602	5,040	5,916	4.8	-13.7	9.8	-10.7	10,819	10,956	-1.3
5111 pt	Book, directory and mailing list, and other publishers ⁵	8,847	7,714	8,963	9,424	7,514	7,321	14.7	-13.9	17.7	5.4	16,561	14,835	11.6
5112	Software publishers.....	111,557	106,213	104,666	92,287	91,697	87,841	5.0	1.5	21.7	20.9	217,770	179,538	21.3
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries.....	24,036	22,302	23,697	18,787	18,632	24,262	7.8	-5.9	29.0	-8.1	46,338	42,894	8.0
515	Broadcasting (except Internet).....	46,693	45,903	51,007	43,563	39,723	44,776	1.7	-10.0	17.5	2.5	92,596	84,499	9.6
5151	Radio and television broadcasting.....	22,798	22,320	26,310	20,737	18,418	22,620	2.1	-15.2	23.8	-1.3	45,118	41,038	9.9
5152	Cable and other subscription programming.....	23,895	23,583	24,697	22,826	21,305	22,156	1.3	-4.5	12.2	6.4	47,478	43,461	9.2
517	Telecommunications.....	165,823	163,377	167,481	158,967	155,502	158,055	1.5	-2.5	6.6	3.4	329,200	313,557	5.0
5171	Wired telecommunications carriers.....	80,506	79,731	80,815	78,465	78,107	79,000	1.0	-1.3	3.1	0.9	160,237	157,107	2.0
5172	Wireless telecommunications carriers (except satellite).....	72,563	71,476	74,591	68,684	65,534	67,416	1.5	-4.2	10.7	6.0	144,039	132,950	8.3
517 pt	Other telecommunications ⁶	12,754	12,170	12,075	11,818	11,861	11,639	4.8	0.8	7.5	4.6	24,924	23,500	6.1
518	Data processing, hosting, and related services.....	64,049	59,968	59,467	53,816	50,787	50,771	6.8	0.8	26.1	18.1	124,017	101,558	22.1
519	Other information services.....	85,902	77,307	78,841	64,887	55,849	55,941	11.1	-1.9	53.8	38.2	163,209	111,790	46.0
52	Finance and insurance⁷	1,286,229	1,265,935	1,238,415	1,212,182	1,178,091	1,220,360	1.6	2.2	9.2	3.7	2,552,164	2,398,451	6.4
52 pt	Finance and insurance (except monetary authorities-central bank) ⁸	1,254,037	1,243,481	1,212,999	1,183,373	1,153,114	1,194,585	0.8	2.5	8.8	4.1	2,497,518	2,347,699	6.4
521	Monetary authorities-central bank.....	32,192	22,454	25,416	28,809	24,977	25,775	43.4	-11.7	28.9	-12.9	54,646	50,752	7.7
522	Credit intermediation and related activities.....	323,028	321,228	325,817	324,673	320,801	354,590	0.6	-1.4	0.7	-9.4	644,256	675,391	-4.6
5221	Depository credit intermediation.....	148,103	147,171	149,750	150,351	147,581	159,039	0.6	-1.7	0.4	-7.5	295,274	306,620	-3.7
5222	Nondepository credit intermediation.....	141,152	139,814	144,022	144,357	146,351	167,426	1.0	-2.9	-3.6	-16.5	280,966	313,777	-10.5
5223	Activities related to credit intermediation.....	33,773	34,243	32,045	29,965	26,869	28,125	-1.4	6.9	25.7	21.8	68,016	54,994	23.7
523	Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments and related activities.....	199,469	203,930	188,224	168,414	179,931	165,476	-2.2	8.3	10.9	23.2	403,399	345,407	16.8
5231	Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage.....	78,466	82,996	70,207	63,508	75,734	64,830	-5.5	18.2	3.6	28.0	161,462	140,564	14.9
5232	Securities and commodity exchanges.....	3,695	4,246	3,508	3,645	3,817	4,360	-13.0	21.0	-3.2	-2.6	7,941	8,177	-2.9
5239	Other financial investment activities.....	117,308	116,688	114,509	101,261	100,380	96,286	0.5	1.9	16.9	21.2	233,996	196,666	19.0
524	Insurance carriers and related activities.....	731,540	718,323	698,958	690,286	652,382	674,519	1.8	2.8	12.1	6.5	1,449,863	1,326,901	9.3
5241	Insurance carriers.....	626,769	614,281	596,984	590,655	559,455	575,530	2.0	2.9	12.0	6.7	1,241,050	1,134,985	9.3
5242	Agencies, brokerages, and other insurance related activities.....	104,771	104,042	101,974	99,631	92,927	98,989	0.7	2.0	12.7	5.1	208,813	191,916	8.8
53	Real estate and rental and leasing.....	210,780	177,722	192,646	187,790	157,607	174,738	18.6	-7.7	33.7	1.7	388,502	332,345	16.9
531	Real estate.....	149,709	127,356	140,085	136,118	115,542	122,529	17.6	-9.1	29.6	3.9	277,065	238,071	16.4
5311	Lessors of real estate.....	72,919	66,115	67,824	67,961	63,793	70,453	10.3	-2.5	14.3	-6.2	139,034	134,246	3.6
5312	Offices of real estate agents and brokers.....	46,638	32,114	41,993	39,444	26,828	25,999	45.2	-23.5	73.8	23.5	78,752	52,827	49.1
5313	Activities related to real estate.....	30,152	29,127	30,268	28,713	24,921	26,077	3.5	-3.8	21.0	11.7	59,279	50,998	16.2
532	Rental and leasing services.....	44,960	37,744	38,384	38,961	31,737	40,193	19.1	-1.7	41.7	-6.1	82,704	71,930	15.0
5321	Automotive equipment rental and leasing.....	S	S	15,878	16,505	10,905	15,995	S	S	S	S	S	26,900	S
53211	Passenger car rental and leasing.....	S	S	8,873	9,394	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
53212	Truck, utility trailer, and RV (recreational vehicle) rental and leasing.....	7,555	6,667	7,005	7,111	6,162	6,170	13.3	-4.8	22.6	8.1	14,222	12,332	15.3
5322	Consumer goods rental.....	5,771	5,253	4,849	4,934	4,526	5,007	9.9	8.3	27.5	4.9	11,024	9,533	15.6
5323	General rental centers.....	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
5324	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing.....	18,387	16,309	16,803	16,665	15,529	18,530	12.7	-2.9	18.4	-12.0	34,696	34,059	1.9
533	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works).....	S	S	S	S	10,328	12,016	S	S	S	S	S	22,344	S

Table 1b. Selected Services - Estimated Quarterly Revenue for Employer Firms, Not Seasonally Adjusted

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2012 NAICS code ¹	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change				Year to date		
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021	4Q 2020	3Q 2020	2Q 2020	1Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020	2021 (p)	2020	2021 from 2020 (p)
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services⁹	554,909	521,136	524,183	490,723	475,504	513,361	6.5	-0.6	16.7	1.5	1,076,045	988,865	8.8
5411	Legal services ⁹	78,495	75,444	88,250	74,037	71,620	70,800	4.0	-14.5	9.6	6.6	153,939	142,420	8.1
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	46,761	50,044	38,762	39,521	39,782	49,220	-6.6	29.1	17.5	1.7	96,805	89,002	8.8
5413	Architectural, engineering, and related services	89,280	82,894	79,680	79,768	79,639	86,177	7.7	4.0	12.1	-3.8	172,174	165,816	3.8
5413 pt	Architectural and related services ¹⁰	22,067	21,397	20,151	20,802	20,171	22,539	3.1	6.2	9.4	-5.1	43,464	42,710	1.8
54133	Engineering services	67,213	61,497	59,529	58,966	59,468	63,638	9.3	3.3	13.0	-3.4	128,710	123,106	4.6
5414	Specialized design services	6,961	5,944	S	5,451	4,414	6,406	17.1	S	57.7	-7.2	12,905	10,820	19.3
5415	Computer systems design and related services	129,028	120,825	122,350	118,838	120,476	125,510	6.8	-1.2	7.1	-3.7	249,853	245,986	1.6
5416	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	78,347	70,785	71,307	66,507	63,283	69,984	10.7	-0.7	23.8	1.1	149,132	133,267	11.9
5417	Scientific research and development services	58,312	53,013	53,769	50,837	45,927	47,893	10.0	-1.4	27.0	10.7	111,325	93,820	18.7
5418	Advertising, public relations, and related services	36,697	33,494	35,533	30,544	27,235	33,554	9.6	-5.7	34.7	-0.2	70,191	60,789	15.5
5419	Other professional, scientific, and technical services	31,028	28,693	28,105	S	23,128	23,817	8.1	2.1	34.2	20.5	59,721	46,945	27.2
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	304,469	283,077	280,057	262,141	242,065	266,205	7.6	1.1	25.8	6.3	587,546	508,270	15.6
561	Administrative and support services	273,893	254,857	251,909	233,873	216,060	238,771	7.5	1.2	26.8	6.7	528,750	454,831	16.3
5613	Employment services	124,590	120,961	117,200	101,908	94,576	106,453	3.0	3.2	31.7	13.6	245,551	201,029	22.1
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services	10,357	6,359	5,344	5,854	2,840	12,793	62.9	19.0	264.7	-50.3	16,716	15,633	6.9
561 pt	Other administrative and support services ¹¹	138,946	127,537	129,365	126,111	118,644	119,525	8.9	-1.4	17.1	6.7	266,483	238,169	11.9
562	Waste management and remediation services	30,576	28,220	28,148	28,268	26,005	27,434	8.3	0.3	17.6	2.9	58,796	53,439	10.0
61	Educational services¹²	19,002	16,967	16,646	15,618	13,192	17,256	12.0	1.9	44.0	-1.7	35,969	30,448	18.1
6114	Business schools and computer and management training	3,519	3,100	3,406	3,442	2,828	2,858	13.5	-9.0	24.4	8.5	6,619	5,686	16.4
6115	Technical and trade schools	3,550	3,454	3,308	3,321	2,992	3,312	2.8	4.4	18.6	4.3	7,004	6,304	11.1
6116	Other schools and instruction	6,420	6,224	5,133	4,600	3,527	6,633	3.1	21.3	82.0	-6.2	12,644	10,160	24.4
6117	Educational support services	5,513	4,189	4,799	4,255	3,845	4,453	31.6	-12.7	43.4	-5.9	9,702	8,298	16.9
62	Health care and social assistance	757,609	720,926	747,410	700,164	638,186	683,295	5.1	-3.5	18.7	5.5	1,478,535	1,321,481	11.9
	Health care and social assistance - taxable	364,193	349,570	360,338	343,127	296,079	343,417	4.2	-3.0	23.0	1.8	713,763	639,496	11.6
	Health care and social assistance - tax-exempt	393,416	371,356	387,072	357,037	342,107	339,878	5.9	-4.1	15.0	9.3	764,772	681,985	12.1
621	Ambulatory health care services	297,815	284,500	295,599	280,055	238,837	279,294	4.7	-3.8	24.7	1.9	582,315	518,131	12.4
	Ambulatory health care services - taxable	265,745	254,480	264,129	250,689	211,270	250,368	4.4	-3.7	25.8	1.6	520,225	461,638	12.7
	Ambulatory health care services - tax-exempt	32,070	30,020	31,470	29,366	27,567	28,926	6.8	-4.6	16.3	3.8	62,090	56,493	9.9
6211	Offices of physicians - taxable	129,624	123,624	131,149	123,618	110,115	126,488	4.9	-5.7	17.7	-2.3	253,248	236,603	7.0
6212	Offices of dentists - taxable	S	S	S	S	S	33,007	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
6213	Offices of other health practitioners - taxable	26,316	25,148	S	S	S	25,079	4.6	S	S	0.3	51,464	S	S
6214	Outpatient care centers	49,535	47,042	49,333	45,386	41,254	46,091	5.3	-4.6	20.1	2.1	96,577	87,345	10.6
	Outpatient care centers - taxable	28,179	27,308	28,246	26,197	23,156	26,316	3.2	-3.3	21.7	3.8	55,487	49,472	12.2
	Outpatient care centers - tax-exempt	21,356	19,734	21,087	19,189	18,098	19,775	8.2	-6.4	18.0	-0.2	41,090	37,873	8.5
6215	Medical and diagnostic laboratories - taxable	16,490	17,249	18,431	16,751	12,078	13,187	-4.4	-6.4	36.5	30.8	33,739	25,265	33.5
6216	Home health care services	25,667	24,636	26,379	25,641	23,963	24,601	4.2	-6.6	7.1	0.1	50,303	48,564	3.6
	Home health care services - taxable	19,874	19,025	20,534	19,900	18,358	19,222	4.5	-7.3	8.3	-1.0	38,899	37,580	3.5
	Home health care services - tax-exempt	5,793	5,611	5,845	5,741	5,605	5,379	3.2	-4.0	3.4	4.3	11,404	10,984	3.8
6219	Other ambulatory health care services	13,252	12,087	12,111	12,022	10,861	10,841	9.6	-0.2	22.0	11.5	25,339	21,702	16.8
	Other ambulatory health care services - taxable	8,331	7,412	7,573	7,586	6,997	7,069	12.4	-2.1	19.1	4.9	15,743	14,066	11.9
	Other ambulatory health care services - tax-exempt	4,921	4,675	4,538	4,436	3,864	3,772	5.3	3.0	27.4	23.9	9,596	7,636	25.7
622	Hospitals	331,459	315,038	319,292	300,526	281,665	285,533	5.2	-1.3	17.7	10.3	646,497	567,198	14.0
	Hospitals - taxable	38,289	36,412	36,594	34,861	29,856	33,700	5.2	-0.5	28.2	8.0	74,701	63,556	17.5
	Hospitals - tax-exempt	293,170	278,626	282,698	265,665	251,809	251,833	5.2	-1.4	16.4	10.6	571,796	503,642	13.5
6221	General medical and surgical hospitals	310,241	295,190	298,691	280,920	263,755	266,947	5.1	-1.2	17.6	10.6	605,431	530,702	14.1
	General medical and surgical hospitals - taxable	31,148	29,641	29,851	28,384	23,699	27,424	5.1	-0.7	31.4	8.1	60,789	51,123	18.9
	General medical and surgical hospitals - tax-exempt	279,093	265,549	268,840	252,536	240,056	239,523	5.1	-1.2	16.3	10.9	544,642	479,579	13.6
6222	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals	7,107	6,749	7,047	6,626	6,304	6,712	5.3	-4.2	12.7	0.6	13,856	13,016	6.5
	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals - taxable	2,110	1,965	2,002	1,917	1,751	1,892	7.4	-1.8	20.5	3.9	4,075	3,643	11.9
	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals - tax-exempt	4,997	4,784	5,045	4,709	4,553	4,820	4.5	-5.2	9.8	-0.7	9,781	9,373	4.4
6223	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals	14,111	13,099	13,554	12,980	11,606	11,874	7.7	-3.4	21.6	10.3	27,210	23,480	15.9
	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals - taxable	5,031	4,806	4,741	4,560	4,406	4,384	4.7	1.4	14.2	9.6	9,837	8,790	11.9
	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals - tax-exempt	9,080	8,293	8,813	8,420	7,200	7,490	9.5	-5.9	26.1	10.7	17,373	14,690	18.3
623	Nursing and residential care facilities	66,764	63,660	67,164	64,341	65,335	64,078	4.9	-5.2	2.2	-0.7	130,424	129,413	0.8
	Nursing and residential care facilities - taxable	42,658	S	S	41,976	42,030	41,911	S	S	1.5	S	S	83,941	S
	Nursing and residential care facilities - tax-exempt	24,106	22,020	23,613	22,365	23,305	22,167	9.5	-6.7	3.4	-0.7	46,126	45,472	1.4
624	Social assistance	61,571	57,728	65,355	55,242	52,349	54,390	6.7	-11.7	17.6	6.1	119,299	106,739	11.8
	Social assistance - taxable	17,501	17,038	16,064	15,601	12,923	S	2.7	6.1	35.4	S	34,539	S	S
	Social assistance - tax-exempt	44,070	40,690	49,291	39,641	39,426	36,952	8.3	-17.4	11.8	10.1	84,760	76,378	11.0
6241	Individual and family services	33,397	30,633	32,938	31,028	28,269	28,502	9.0	-7.0	18.1	7.5	64,030	56,771	12.8
6242	Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services	11,938	12,363	17,659	11,247	13,324	9,652	-3.4	-30.0	-10.4	28.1	24,301	22,976	5.8
6243	Vocational rehabilitation services	3,513	2,968	3,532	2,974	2,775	3,256	18.4	-16.0	26.6	-8.8	6,481	6,031	7.5
6244	Child day care services	12,723	11,764	11,226	9,993	7,981	12,980	8.2	4.8	59.4	-9.4	24,487	20,961	16.8
	Child day care services - taxable	7,703	7,295	6,865	6,310	S	S	5.6	6.3	S	S	14,998	S	S
	Child day care services - tax-exempt	5,020	4,469	4,361	3,683	3,380	4,616	12.3	2.5	48.5	-3.2	9,489	7,996	18.7

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2012 NAICS code ¹	Kind of business	Total revenue (millions of dollars)						Percent change				Year to date		
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021	4Q 2020	3Q 2020	2Q 2020	1Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020	2021 (p)	2020	2021 from 2020 (p)
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation.....	63,120	50,350	51,397	47,922	32,071	57,871	25.4	-2.0	96.8	-13.0	113,470	89,942	26.2
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - taxable.....	49,816	40,421	39,320	37,620	23,091	48,034	23.2	2.8	115.7	-15.8	90,237	71,125	26.9
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - tax-exempt.....	13,304	9,929	12,077	10,302	8,980	9,837	34.0	-17.8	48.2	0.9	23,233	18,817	23.5
711	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries.....	23,842	19,079	22,044	18,104	12,051	24,033	25.0	-13.5	97.8	-20.6	42,921	36,084	18.9
	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries - taxable.....	21,376	17,421	19,963	16,415	10,542	21,426	22.7	-12.7	102.8	-18.7	38,797	31,968	21.4
	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries - tax-exempt.....	2,466	1,658	2,081	1,689	1,509	2,607	48.7	-20.3	63.4	-36.4	4,124	4,116	0.2
7111	Performing arts companies.....	1,806	1,267	1,560	1,276	1,272	3,447	42.5	-18.8	42.0	-63.2	3,073	4,719	-34.9
	Performing arts companies - taxable.....	675	492	467	451	455	2,055	37.2	5.4	48.4	-76.1	1,167	2,510	-53.5
	Performing arts companies - tax-exempt.....	1,131	775	1,093	825	817	1,392	45.9	-29.1	38.4	-44.3	1,906	2,209	-13.7
7112	Spectator sports - taxable.....	11,706	8,658	9,453	8,469	3,752	8,034	35.2	-8.4	212.0	7.8	20,364	11,786	72.8
7113	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events.....	3,581	2,532	3,687	3,310	1,336	4,911	41.4	-31.3	168.0	-48.4	6,113	6,247	-2.1
	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events - taxable.....	2,246	1,649	2,699	2,446	644	3,696	36.2	-38.9	248.8	-55.4	3,895	4,340	-10.3
	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events - tax-exempt.....	1,335	883	988	864	692	1,215	51.2	-10.6	92.9	-27.3	2,218	1,907	16.3
7114	Agents and managers for artists, athletes, entertainers, and other public figures - taxable.....	2,166	1,821	1,952	1,314	1,076	2,139	18.9	-6.7	101.3	-14.9	3,987	3,215	24.0
7115	Independent artists, writers, and performers - taxable.....	4,583	4,801	5,392	S	4,615	5,502	-4.5	-11.0	-0.7	-12.7	9,384	10,117	-7.2
712	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions.....	6,190	4,183	6,084	4,420	3,735	3,029	48.0	-31.2	65.7	38.1	10,373	6,764	53.4
	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions - tax-exempt..	5,543	3,834	5,642	4,002	3,529	2,650	44.6	-32.0	57.1	44.7	9,377	6,179	51.8
713	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries.....	33,088	27,088	23,269	25,398	16,285	30,809	22.2	16.4	103.2	-12.1	60,176	47,094	27.8
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - taxable.....	27,793	22,651	18,915	20,787	12,343	26,229	22.7	19.8	125.2	-13.6	50,444	38,572	30.8
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - tax-exempt..	5,295	4,437	4,354	4,611	3,942	4,580	19.3	1.9	34.3	-3.1	9,732	8,522	14.2
7131	Amusement parks and arcades - taxable.....	4,939	2,260	1,994	2,578	1,095	3,858	118.5	13.3	351.1	-41.4	7,199	4,953	45.3
7132	Gambling industries - taxable.....	7,600	7,617	6,195	6,308	3,388	6,404	-0.2	23.0	124.3	18.9	15,217	9,792	55.4
7139	Other amusement and recreation industries.....	20,549	17,211	15,080	16,512	11,802	20,547	19.4	14.1	74.1	-16.2	37,760	32,349	16.7
	Other amusement and recreation industries - taxable.....	15,254	12,774	10,726	11,901	7,860	15,967	19.4	19.1	94.1	-20.0	28,028	23,827	17.6
	Other amusement and recreation industries - tax-exempt.....	5,295	4,437	4,354	4,611	3,942	4,580	19.3	1.9	34.3	-3.1	9,732	8,522	14.2
721	Accommodation.....	61,069	41,376	39,377	43,523	22,324	54,960	47.6	5.1	173.6	-24.7	102,445	77,284	32.6
7211	Traveler accommodation.....	58,402	39,819	37,791	41,405	20,924	53,335	46.7	5.4	179.1	-25.3	98,221	74,259	32.3
7212	RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps.....	2,213	1,133	1,178	1,658	1,108	1,087	95.3	-3.8	99.7	4.2	3,346	2,195	52.4
7213	Rooming and boarding houses.....	454	424	408	460	292	538	7.1	3.9	55.5	-21.2	878	830	5.8
81	Other services (except public administration) ¹³.....	173,187	153,987	170,185	144,045	126,284	126,648	12.5	-9.5	37.1	21.6	327,174	252,932	29.4
811	Repair and maintenance.....	52,339	46,533	46,212	48,474	42,277	49,913	12.5	0.7	23.8	-6.8	98,872	92,190	7.2
8111	Automotive repair and maintenance.....	32,633	29,816	29,556	31,411	26,901	32,148	9.4	0.9	21.3	-7.3	62,449	59,049	5.8
8112	Electronic and precision equipment repair and maintenance.....	4,385	4,475	4,283	4,284	3,981	4,868	-2.0	4.5	10.1	-8.1	8,860	8,849	0.1
8113	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment (except automotive and electronic) repair and maintenance.....	11,938	9,385	9,613	9,730	8,810	10,706	27.2	-2.4	35.5	-12.3	21,323	19,516	9.3
8114	Personal and household goods repair and maintenance.....	3,383	2,857	2,760	S	S	2,191	18.4	3.5	S	30.4	6,240	S	S
812	Personal and laundry services.....	28,920	26,432	S	23,313	18,681	S	9.4	S	54.8	S	55,352	S	S
8121	Personal care services.....	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
8122	Death care services.....	5,063	6,148	5,392	5,214	4,884	5,040	-17.6	14.0	3.7	22.0	11,211	9,924	13.0
8123	Drycleaning and laundry services.....	6,930	6,453	6,353	6,173	5,602	7,006	7.4	1.6	23.7	-7.9	13,383	12,608	6.1
8129	Other personal services.....	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
813	Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations - tax-exempt ¹⁴	91,928	81,022	98,695	72,258	65,326	47,649	13.5	-17.9	40.7	70.0	172,950	112,975	53.1

(p) Preliminary estimate.

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(1) For a full description of the NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) codes used in this table, see the 2012 NAICS manual or www.census.gov/naics/.

(2) Includes NAICS 22 (Utilities), NAICS 48-49 (Transportation and warehousing), NAICS 51 (Information), NAICS 52 (Finance and insurance), NAICS 53 (Real estate and rental and leasing), NAICS 54 (Selected professional, scientific, and technical services), NAICS 56 (Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services), NAICS 61 (Educational services), NAICS 62 (Health care and social assistance), NAICS 71 (Arts, entertainment, and recreation), NAICS 721 (Accommodation), and NAICS 81 (Other services (except public administration)). Exclusions listed in footnotes 3, 4, 7, 9, 12, and 13 also apply to the Selected Services Total.

(3) Excludes government owned utilities.

(4) Excludes NAICS 482 (Rail transportation) and 491 (Postal service).

(5) Includes NAICS 51113 (Book publishers), 51114 (Directory and mailing list publishers), and 51119 (Other publishers).

(6) Includes NAICS 5174 (Satellite telecommunications) and 5179 (Other telecommunications).

(7) Excludes NAICS 525 (Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles).

(8) Excludes NAICS 521 (Monetary authorities-central bank) and NAICS 525 (Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles).

(9) Excludes NAICS 54112 (Offices of notaries).

(10) Includes all of NAICS 5413 (Architectural, engineering, and related services) except 54133 (Engineering services).

(11) Includes NAICS 5611 (Office administrative services), 5612 (Facilities support services), 5614 (Business support services), 5616 (Investigation and security services), 5617 (Services to buildings and dwellings), and 5619 (Other support services).

(12) Excludes NAICS 6111 (Elementary and secondary schools), 6112 (Junior colleges), and 6113 (Colleges, universities, and professional schools).

(13) Excludes NAICS 8131 (Religious organizations), 81393 (Labor unions and similar labor organizations), 81394 (Political organizations), and 814 (Private households).

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Note: Estimates cover taxable and tax-exempt firms unless otherwise specified. Additionally, estimates for some sectors and subsectors may include data for kinds of business not shown. Table 2 provides estimated measures of sampling variability. Data users who create their own estimates using data from this report should cite the U.S. Census Bureau as the source of the original data only. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/services/qss/how_the_data_are_collected.html. For NAICS 52, estimates may include unrealized gains (losses).

Table 2. Selected Services - Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability
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2012 NAICS code	Kind of business	Coefficient of variation for total revenue						Standard error for percent change ¹				Year to Date		
												Coefficient of variation		Standard error
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021	4Q 2020	3Q 2020	2Q 2020	1Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020	2021 (p)	2020	2021 from 2020 (p)
	Selected Services Total.....	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.8	0.2
22	Utilities.....	2.1	1.6	2.2	3.2	2.4	2.0	0.8	1.3	0.8	0.8	1.8	2.2	0.7
2211	Electric power generation, transmission and distribution.....	2.8	2.7	2.7	3.6	2.9	3.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	1.1	2.7	2.9	0.8
2212	Natural gas distribution.....	6.0	3.5	4.9	5.8	4.7	4.1	1.5	2.1	3.6	2.2	4.3	4.3	2.6
2213	Water, sewage and other systems.....	4.6	4.6	3.8	5.4	4.7	5.5	4.1	1.8	3.8	1.6	4.2	5.0	2.3
48-49	Transportation and warehousing.....	2.1	2.3	1.9	3.0	2.3	1.6	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.8	2.1	1.7	1.2
481	Air transportation.....	15.5	22.3	20.2	28.7	5	5.4	7.4	3.7	5	8.4	18.2	5	5
483	Water transportation.....	20.7	21.0	14.9	17.9	14.2	9.2	1.0	4.9	5.2	4.7	20.8	11.0	5.3
4831	Deep sea, coastal, and Great Lakes water transportation.....	27.1	27.8	20.0	22.8	19.8	11.0	1.2	6.0	5.8	5.7	27.4	13.9	6.4
4832	Inland water transportation.....	5.9	5.4	5.0	5.3	4.9	4.3	1.6	0.8	2.0	3.3	5.6	4.5	2.6
484	Truck transportation.....	2.2	2.5	2.6	3.2	3.6	2.2	1.1	0.6	2.4	3.0	2.3	2.4	2.0
4841	General freight trucking.....	3.4	3.8	3.9	4.4	5.1	3.3	1.5	0.9	2.8	4.4	3.5	3.7	3.0
48412	General freight trucking, long-distance.....	4.9	5.3	5.0	5.6	6.7	4.6	1.3	0.7	3.5	6.0	5.1	5.0	4.6
4842	Specialized freight trucking.....	3.5	2.7	3.2	3.4	3.5	2.8	2.1	1.9	2.7	1.9	3.0	3.0	1.9
485	Transit and ground passenger transportation.....	5.9	5.7	4.9	4.9	4.6	3.9	3.0	1.6	5.8	2.0	5.7	4.0	2.8
486	Pipeline transportation.....	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	1.4	1.5	0.4
487	Scenic and sightseeing transportation.....	11.4	12.4	12.2	7.8	8.4	8.8	25.4	14.4	58.2	8.3	9.8	6.3	15.6
488	Support activities for transportation.....	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.2	4.0	0.7	1.2	2.3	2.5	4.7	4.0	2.2
492	Couriers and messengers.....	5.5	4.8	6.0	4.7	4.1	5.4	1.0	0.9	1.8	1.0	5.1	4.7	0.9
493	Warehousing and storage.....	7.4	6.8	5.3	5.8	6.1	6.6	1.2	2.5	3.7	3.3	7.1	6.3	3.4
51	Information	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.5	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.8	1.7	1.5	0.8
511	Publishing industries (except Internet)	3.0	2.7	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.5	2.8	3.1	0.7
5111	Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers.....	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.5	3.1	0.4	0.9	1.4	1.6	2.7	2.8	1.5
51111	Newspaper publishers.....	4.5	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	0.5	1.1	1.7	1.5	4.5	4.1	1.5
51112	Periodical publishers.....	5.8	5.6	5.9	4.4	4.6	5.8	1.1	1.6	2.5	1.9	5.7	5.2	1.9
5111 pt	Book, directory and mailing list, and other publishers.....	3.8	3.6	4.5	3.8	3.4	3.0	0.5	1.8	3.2	2.8	3.7	3.2	2.9
5112	Software publishers.....	3.2	2.7	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.7	1.5	1.4	1.1	2.4	2.9	3.5	1.1
512	Motion picture and sound recording industries.....	1.7	2.5	2.3	2.7	2.6	1.5	2.0	1.0	3.0	1.3	1.9	1.8	0.9
515	Broadcasting (except Internet).....	0.4	0.4	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.6
5151	Radio and television broadcasting.....	1.8	1.7	2.5	2.3	1.6	1.4	0.4	0.9	1.6	1.0	1.7	1.5	1.2
5152	Cable and other subscription programming.....	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.6	1.1	1.0	0.6
517	Telecommunications.....	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.7	1.1	1.4	0.6
5171	Wired telecommunications carriers.....	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	0.3	0.2	0.8	0.8	1.8	2.0	0.7
5172	Wireless telecommunications carriers (except satellite).....	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	0.2	0.4	1.2	1.1	2.0	2.2	1.1
517 pt	Other telecommunications.....	5.2	4.7	4.4	4.8	5.3	4.9	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.1	5.0	5.1	1.1
518	Data processing, hosting, and related services.....	3.3	3.8	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6	0.7	0.9	1.2	1.5	3.5	3.6	1.2
519	Other information services.....	6.1	5.8	5.1	5.0	4.4	4.2	0.6	0.8	4.4	4.2	6.0	4.3	4.3
52	Finance and insurance.....	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.6	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.7	1.8	1.7	0.5
52 pt	Finance and insurance (except monetary authorities-central bank).....	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.7	1.9	1.7	0.5
521	Monetary authorities-central bank.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
522	Credit intermediation and related activities.....	2.6	2.4	2.7	2.8	3.4	2.5	0.7	0.4	1.5	0.9	2.5	2.9	1.0
5221	Depository credit intermediation.....	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.2	0.8	0.7	1.8	1.5	4.2	4.3	1.3
5222	Nondepository credit intermediation.....	3.7	4.0	3.7	4.2	4.6	4.3	1.1	0.9	1.9	1.4	3.8	4.4	1.5
5223	Activities related to credit intermediation.....	4.1	3.8	3.4	3.3	2.7	2.4	0.5	1.0	2.3	2.0	3.9	2.5	2.0
523	Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments and related activities.....	5.2	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.3	4.8	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.8	5.4	5.0	1.0
5231	Securities and commodity contracts intermediation and brokerage.....	10.5	9.2	10.1	10.7	8.8	10.9	1.9	1.4	1.8	3.4	9.8	9.6	1.9
5232	Securities and commodity exchanges.....	0.3	0.3	2	2	2	2	2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	2	0.3
5239	Other financial investment activities.....	2.5	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.3	2.3	1.9	0.9	1.7	3.2	2.9	2.7	1.3
524	Insurance carriers and related activities.....	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.9	2.2	2.1	0.6
5241	Insurance carriers.....	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.1	2.6	2.5	0.7
5242	Agencies, brokerages, and other insurance related activities.....	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.1	1.0	0.6	1.3	1.0	2.4	2.0	1.0
53	Real estate and rental and leasing.....	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.9	1.4	1.4	1.0
531	Real estate.....	1.4	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.2	1.1	0.8	1.3
5311	Lessors of real estate.....	2.0	1.6	1.7	1.2	1.6	1.2	1.0	0.9	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.4	1.4
5312	Offices of real estate agents and brokers.....	2.9	3.0	1.6	3.0	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.2	5.0	2.6	2.8	3.0	3.3
5313	Activities related to real estate.....	2.9	2.9	3.3	3.5	2.6	2.8	1.8	1.2	2.2	1.5	2.8	2.6	1.6
532	Rental and leasing services.....	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.7	4.1	4.2	1.7	0.9	2.5	0.7	3.6	4.2	1.3
5321	Automotive equipment rental and leasing.....	5	5	2.5	2.5	3.4	2.2	5	5	5	5	5	2.7	5
53211	Passenger car rental and leasing.....	5	5	4.9	5.0	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
53212	Truck, utility trailer, and RV (recreational vehicle) rental and leasing.....	4.4	3.8	3.9	3.7	4.0	4.2	1.9	0.5	1.8	0.9	4.0	4.1	0.9
5322	Consumer goods rental.....	6.6	8.7	7.8	8.1	10.5	10.5	5.3	3.8	11.3	6.0	7.4	10.3	7.8
5323	General rental centers.....	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
5324	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment rental and leasing.....	8.0	8.5	8.1	8.3	8.7	8.5	2.1	1.3	3.4	2.0	8.2	8.5	2.4
533	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works).....	5	5	5	5	7.0	6.1	5	5	5	5	5	6.3	5

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54	Professional, scientific, and technical services.....	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.3	2.8	2.6	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.7	2.9	2.7	0.6
5411	Legal services.....	4.2	5.1	4.4	4.2	3.7	3.6	3.0	1.8	1.4	2.4	4.3	3.5	1.3
5412	Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services.....	3.7	2.7	4.3	2.4	1.9	1.2	2.0	4.2	3.0	2.6	3.0	1.3	2.8
5413	Architectural, engineering, and related services.....	4.6	4.6	4.1	4.3	4.8	3.7	1.6	1.7	2.3	1.6	4.5	4.1	1.1
5413 pt	Architectural and related services.....	9.1	8.6	8.3	7.3	7.2	6.8	2.4	2.9	3.4	4.4	8.8	6.8	3.3
54133	Engineering services.....	5.2	5.0	4.1	4.5	5.1	4.7	1.8	1.9	3.0	1.2	5.0	4.8	1.5
5414	Specialized design services.....	6.6	5.4	S	6.6	5.1	5.3	4.0	S	6.4	3.8	5.8	4.6	3.8
5415	Computer systems design and related services.....	4.9	4.9	5.7	5.4	4.4	4.0	1.0	1.5	2.1	1.9	4.9	4.2	1.8
5416	Management, scientific, and technical consulting services.....	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.2	0.3	1.1	1.8	1.9	3.4	3.3	1.8
5417	Scientific research and development services.....	8.6	8.5	8.8	10.1	8.6	9.5	1.8	1.4	2.9	2.3	8.5	9.0	2.4
5418	Advertising, public relations, and related services.....	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.4	0.6	1.1	2.3	1.6	2.6	2.3	1.8
5419	Other professional, scientific, and technical services.....	13.2	12.2	12.1	S	10.0	9.1	2.5	1.3	6.4	5.4	12.7	9.5	5.7
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services.....	3.5	3.5	3.0	2.7	3.4	3.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.7	3.5	3.2	1.3
561	Administrative and support services.....	4.1	3.9	3.2	3.1	3.8	3.6	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.9	4.0	3.6	1.4
5613	Employment services.....	6.1	6.8	6.7	5.2	5.8	5.2	1.8	1.6	2.0	3.3	6.4	5.4	2.5
5615	Travel arrangement and reservation services.....	7.6	8.0	8.4	8.7	9.9	4.9	5.8	2.6	18.8	3.2	7.5	4.9	5.9
561 pt	Other administrative and support services.....	4.1	3.8	2.8	3.2	3.8	4.6	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.9	4.0	4.1	1.2
562	Waste management and remediation services.....	5.5	5.4	4.8	5.0	4.9	4.7	0.9	0.9	1.6	1.3	5.4	4.8	1.4
61	Educational services	3.5	4.2	4.5	5.3	4.1	3.3	1.9	1.9	5.1	2.5	3.8	3.4	3.0
6114	Business schools and computer and management training.....	6.8	8.4	8.2	11.4	7.9	7.3	3.6	2.2	4.0	3.7	7.4	7.5	2.8
6115	Technical and trade schools.....	9.4	10.3	11.4	10.1	10.4	8.7	2.1	3.5	4.1	3.5	9.8	9.3	2.9
6116	Other schools and instruction.....	7.4	8.3	9.0	11.5	7.9	7.5	3.3	3.0	10.0	4.2	7.7	7.2	5.3
6117	Educational support services.....	6.2	5.5	6.2	5.2	4.5	4.2	2.8	1.2	5.6	2.1	5.8	4.1	3.3
62	Health care and social assistance.....	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.2	1.8	2.1	0.3	0.2	1.1	0.8	2.3	1.9	0.9
	Health care and social assistance - taxable.....	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.5	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.6	2.7	2.5	0.7
	Health care and social assistance - tax-exempt.....	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.4	1.6	2.3	0.4	0.5	1.5	1.2	2.5	1.9	1.3
621	Ambulatory health care services	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.9	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.8	1.7	1.8	0.7
	Ambulatory health care services - taxable.....	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.2	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.8	2.2	2.1	0.9
	Ambulatory health care services - tax-exempt.....	5.9	5.4	5.2	4.7	4.2	5.2	0.9	0.7	2.4	1.0	5.7	4.7	1.3
6211	Offices of physicians - taxable.....	3.7	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.5	3.5	0.8	0.9	2.0	1.6	3.8	3.5	1.7
6212	Offices of dentists - taxable.....	S	S	S	S	S	3.7	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
6213	Offices of other health practitioners - taxable.....	5.2	6.1	S	S	S	7.3	1.0	S	S	1.9	5.6	S	S
6214	Outpatient care centers	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.6	0.7	0.8	2.0	1.6	2.7	2.5	1.6
	Outpatient care centers - taxable.....	4.0	4.0	3.5	3.0	3.3	2.9	0.9	1.1	2.4	2.3	4.0	3.1	2.3
	Outpatient care centers - tax-exempt.....	7.8	7.3	7.1	6.5	5.7	7.3	1.0	1.2	3.0	1.6	7.6	6.5	1.8
6215	Medical and diagnostic laboratories - taxable.....	3.8	3.2	3.5	4.0	4.3	4.3	1.0	0.7	2.7	1.9	3.4	4.3	2.1
6216	Home health care services.....	5.0	5.1	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.1	0.8	0.8	1.4	1.3	5.0	5.1	1.3
	Home health care services - taxable.....	6.0	6.1	6.7	6.3	6.5	6.3	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.8	6.1	6.4	1.5
	Home health care services - tax-exempt.....	6.4	6.6	6.0	5.3	5.5	5.0	0.7	1.0	2.7	2.3	6.5	5.2	2.4
6219	Other ambulatory health care services.....	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.5	2.8	2.3	1.1
	Other ambulatory health care services - taxable.....	3.3	3.3	2.4	2.2	2.6	1.8	1.0	2.0	1.3	2.2	3.3	2.1	1.5
	Other ambulatory health care services - tax-exempt.....	6.3	5.6	5.6	5.8	5.7	4.9	1.7	1.0	1.5	2.4	5.9	5.3	1.7
622	Hospitals	4.0	4.2	4.4	3.9	2.9	3.4	0.5	0.7	2.2	1.5	4.1	3.1	1.8
	Hospitals - taxable.....	12.6	11.7	12.3	11.8	13.0	11.8	1.6	0.4	2.1	0.8	12.2	12.4	1.2
	Hospitals - tax-exempt.....	3.2	3.6	3.7	3.2	2.0	2.7	0.6	0.7	2.3	1.7	3.4	2.3	1.9
6221	General medical and surgical hospitals.....	3.9	4.2	4.3	3.9	2.6	3.3	0.6	0.7	2.3	1.6	4.0	3.0	1.9
	General medical and surgical hospitals - taxable.....	12.8	12.1	12.5	12.1	13.4	12.5	1.9	0.3	2.5	0.8	12.4	12.9	1.3
	General medical and surgical hospitals - tax-exempt.....	3.3	3.7	3.8	3.3	2.0	2.7	0.6	0.8	2.4	1.8	3.5	2.3	2.0
6222	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals.....	6.2	5.8	5.8	5.8	6.0	5.4	0.8	0.4	0.9	1.0	6.0	5.7	0.9
	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals - taxable.....	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	0.3	0.5	0.9	1.0	7.6	7.2	0.9
	Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals - tax-exempt.....	9.0	8.1	8.0	8.2	8.5	7.6	1.2	0.5	1.1	1.4	8.6	8.0	1.2
6223	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals.....	10.4	9.5	10.3	9.5	10.8	8.1	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.6	9.9	9.4	1.1
	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals - taxable.....	18.5	16.3	18.3	16.9	18.4	15.3	1.8	1.6	2.2	3.0	17.4	16.8	2.6
	Specialty (except psychiatric and substance abuse) hospitals - tax-exempt.....	5.6	5.6	6.2	5.7	6.1	4.4	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.6	5.6	5.2	0.8
623	Nursing and residential care facilities	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.4	2.3	0.6	0.5	1.2	1.1	2.7	2.3	1.1
	Nursing and residential care facilities - taxable.....	2.9	S	S	3.1	2.8	2.5	S	S	1.3	S	S	2.6	S
	Nursing and residential care facilities - tax-exempt.....	4.0	3.6	3.7	4.2	3.5	3.6	1.2	0.8	1.0	1.0	3.8	3.5	0.8
624	Social assistance	4.5	3.7	6.0	5.8	3.4	3.6	1.3	2.2	1.9	1.2	4.1	3.5	1.2
	Social assistance - taxable.....	3.7	3.5	3.1	3.7	3.7	S	1.7	1.7	4.0	S	3.5	S	S
	Social assistance - tax-exempt.....	5.6	4.8	7.9	7.4	3.9	4.5	1.8	2.6	3.2	2.0	5.1	3.9	2.0
6241	Individual and family services.....	7.7	7.5	11.7	10.6	5.8	6.3	2.0	3.1	2.9	1.9	7.6	6.0	2.0
6242	Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services	7.1	6.7	9.7	6.3	6.1	5.9	4.5	3.2	2.6	5.8	6.5	6.0	3.6
6243	Vocational rehabilitation services	11.4	11.4	16.7	9.3	10.1	11.0	3.6	3.7	5.8	3.2	11.2	10.2	3.3
6244	Child day care services	9.1	8.9	10.4	9.6	9.0	7.8	3.4	5.1	5.0	3.3	8.9	8.0	3.7
	Child day care services - taxable.....	10.8	10.5	11.6	11.5	S	S	2.6	2.6	S	S	10.6	S	S
	Child day care services - tax-exempt.....	13.7	10.9	14.8	11.1	13.0	9.9	11.4	19.2	7.8	6.4	11.5	9.8	6.9

Table 2. Selected Services - Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the Quarterly Services Survey]

2012 NAICS code	Kind of business	Coefficient of variation for total revenue						Standard error for percent change ¹				Year to Date		
												Coefficient of variation		Standard error
		2Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021	4Q 2020	3Q 2020	2Q 2020	1Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 1Q 2021 (p)	1Q 2021 from 4Q 2020	2Q 2021 from 2Q 2020 (p)	1Q 2021 from 1Q 2020	2021 (p)	2020	2021 from 2020 (p)
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation.....	3.9	5.2	4.6	4.5	5.2	4.0	2.2	1.9	5.6	2.2	4.4	4.4	2.6
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - taxable.....	4.7	6.3	5.5	5.3	6.5	4.5	2.3	2.1	6.9	2.9	5.4	5.0	3.2
	Arts, entertainment, and recreation - tax-exempt.....	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.3	5.1	2.8	4.0	3.6	3.1	2.7	3.3	3.3	2.1
711	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries.....	6.0	7.7	5.4	9.3	10.1	8.4	3.2	4.2	11.1	2.8	6.7	8.8	3.8
	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries - taxable.....	6.7	8.5	5.7	9.9	11.4	9.8	2.9	4.5	12.3	3.5	7.5	10.2	4.7
	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries - tax-exempt.....	6.5	6.8	7.6	6.5	6.9	6.3	12.3	5.2	11.1	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4
7111	Performing arts companies.....	4.5	9.1	3.5	4.7	6.5	5.4	22.6	6.1	17.7	3.2	4.3	5.5	3.1
	Performing arts companies - taxable.....	9.8	10.3	11.6	6.8	11.1	8.9	12.2	8.5	13.4	1.8	9.1	8.7	1.5
	Performing arts companies - tax-exempt.....	8.7	12.1	5.6	6.7	9.5	6.9	38.4	6.4	31.6	6.5	7.0	6.9	5.4
7112	Spectator sports - taxable.....	7.5	12.3	6.5	11.8	6.0	14.7	6.4	6.6	11.1	7.3	9.5	11.7	7.9
7113	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events.....	8.5	11.0	8.3	9.9	11.2	4.8	5.9	3.6	34.5	4.0	9.3	5.9	6.1
	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events - taxable.....	10.1	14.1	9.4	11.4	14.1	6.0	5.7	4.4	64.7	5.0	11.7	6.6	9.1
	Promoters of performing arts, sports, and similar events - tax-exempt.....	12.5	7.6	13.9	9.6	14.2	7.1	14.6	7.9	69.0	10.4	10.0	7.6	13.7
7114	Agents and managers for artists, athletes, entertainers, and other public figures - independent artists, writers, and performers - taxable.....	8.8	5.7	8.8	11.3	7.3	4.2	4.6	4.1	9.7	3.3	7.2	5.0	4.7
7115	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions.....	10.7	9.7	10.7	5	19.2	12.5	3.1	7.4	16.8	8.1	10.1	15.4	10.7
712	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions - tax-exempt.....	4.3	3.2	6.7	7.3	4.9	8.8	3.6	2.9	8.6	13.5	3.7	5.5	7.9
	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions - tax-exempt.....	4.3	3.5	7.2	7.5	5.2	8.6	3.4	3.3	7.7	15.8	3.8	5.2	8.2
713	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries.....	6.2	8.2	7.1	6.7	7.6	5.1	3.1	1.8	3.8	3.0	7.1	5.8	2.1
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - taxable.....	7.4	9.8	8.6	8.0	10.0	5.9	3.4	2.2	5.4	3.4	8.5	7.1	2.3
	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries - tax-exempt.....	6.3	7.0	5.4	4.9	7.1	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.0	3.1	6.2	5.5	2.3
7131	Amusement parks and arcades - taxable.....	6.2	9.6	9.0	14.7	22.1	4.7	15.5	3.4	65.8	4.9	6.8	6.1	2.3
7132	Gambling industries - taxable.....	16.8	18.9	17.9	18.4	28.6	15.7	3.6	2.2	23.2	3.8	17.8	20.1	3.9
7139	Other amusement and recreation industries.....	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.0	2.0	8.2	2.1	4.0	4.8	3.2
	Other amusement and recreation industries - taxable.....	6.0	5.9	5.7	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.0	3.4	11.3	2.8	5.6	5.6	4.5
	Other amusement and recreation industries - tax-exempt.....	6.3	7.0	5.4	4.9	7.1	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.0	3.1	6.2	5.5	2.3
721	Accommodation.....	1.6	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.4	1.8	1.2	1.2	5.3	0.8	1.7	1.6	1.3
7211	Traveler accommodation.....	1.7	2.0	1.6	2.1	2.4	1.7	1.1	1.3	5.8	0.9	1.8	1.5	1.4
7212	RV (recreational vehicle) parks and recreational camps.....	3.5	3.6	5.2	2.7	8.0	3.8	7.5	3.1	14.4	4.1	3.0	5.2	7.2
7213	Rooming and boarding houses.....	13.6	11.1	15.2	11.8	15.7	15.9	6.3	8.5	11.6	5.6	11.9	15.7	6.6
81	Other services (except public administration).....	2.5	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4	1.9	1.7	3.2	3.2	2.5	3.0	2.2
811	Repair and maintenance.....	3.5	4.1	3.7	3.8	2.9	2.2	1.3	2.1	1.9	2.1	3.8	2.5	2.0
8111	Automotive repair and maintenance.....	6.6	7.4	6.7	6.3	5.9	5.5	2.3	3.0	2.7	3.7	6.9	5.7	3.1
8112	Electronic and precision equipment repair and maintenance.....	4.3	2.5	3.3	3.6	3.7	4.2	2.3	2.8	6.4	3.6	3.3	3.9	4.6
8113	Commercial and industrial machinery and equipment (except automotive and electronic) repair and maintenance.....	11.4	12.8	11.9	11.3	10.8	10.5	4.7	2.9	3.9	4.7	12.0	10.6	4.1
8114	Personal and household goods repair and maintenance.....	14.2	15.8	12.6	5	5	14.2	4.5	5.4	5	7.7	14.8	5	5
812	Personal and laundry services.....	5.4	3.6	5	2.8	2.0	5	2.8	5	6.6	5	4.5	5	5
8121	Personal care services.....	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
8122	Death care services.....	7.2	10.8	6.6	6.6	5.1	5.7	4.2	7.2	4.3	6.5	8.7	5.4	4.6
8123	Drycleaning and laundry services.....	4.3	4.9	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.8	3.0	1.5	4.4	3.2	4.3	4.6	3.0
8129	Other personal services.....	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
813	Religious, grantmaking, civic, professional, and similar organizations - tax-exempt.....	5.0	5.2	5.9	6.2	6.7	8.6	2.7	2.1	4.8	9.9	4.9	6.9	5.1

 (p) Preliminary estimate. ² Absolute value is less than .05.

S Corresponding estimate in Table 1a and/or 1b does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability, poor response quality or other concerns about the estimate's quality.

Additional estimated measures of sampling variability may be found at

<https://www.census.gov/econ/currentdata/dbsearch?program=QSS&startYear=2003&endYear=2021&categories=000000A&dataType=QREV&geoLevel=US&adjusted=1¬Adjusted=0&errorData=0>.

 Note: Estimated measures of sampling variability are based on data not adjusted for seasonal variation, and should be used when drawing inferences about both adjusted and not adjusted estimates. Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at www.census.gov/services/qss/how_the_data_are_collected.html.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Survey Description

The U.S. Census Bureau conducts the Quarterly Services Survey to provide national estimates of quarterly revenue for employer firms located in the United States and classified in select service industries. The current total sample size is approximately 19,500 employer firms.

Each quarter, questionnaires are mailed to a probability sample of employer firms selected from the larger Service Annual Survey sample. The QSS sample includes firms of all sizes and is updated on a quarterly basis to account for new services businesses, deaths, and other changes to the survey universe. Data for nonresponding firms are imputed based on data for similar-sized firms classified in the same kind of business. The following table lists imputation rates of total quarterly revenue for the industries published in the QSS:

2012 NAICS Code	Kind of Business	Imputation Rate of Total Quarterly Revenue (in %)
	Selected Services Total	27
22	Utilities	8
48-49	Transportation and warehousing	27
51	Information	19
52	Finance and insurance	15
53	Real estate and rental and leasing	47
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services	38
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	38
61	Educational services	38
62	Health care and social assistance	34
71	Arts, entertainment, and recreation	35
721	Accommodation	39
81	Other services (except public administration)	42

Quarterly revenue estimates are obtained by summing weighted data (either reported or imputed), where the weight for a particular unit is the reciprocal of its probability of being selected into the sample. The estimates are benchmarked using results of the latest SAS. Additional information on the QSS can be found

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Description of Seasonal Adjustment

To derive the seasonally adjusted revenue estimates published in this report, we used all available quarterly revenue estimates as input to the Census Bureau's X-13 ARIMA-SEATS program. With each non-advance quarterly release, we publish preliminary seasonally adjusted estimates for the current quarter and revised seasonally adjusted estimates for the previous five quarters. The seasonal adjustment models used to derive seasonal factors for each kind of business are evaluated annually and will not be revised until the next benchmarking operation. For a table of the seasonal adjustment factors, see www.census.gov/services/qss/qssseasfactors.xlsx. A list of "Frequently Asked Questions" on seasonal adjustment of QSS estimates is available at www.census.gov/services/qss/seasonally_adjusted_faqs.

Reliability of the Estimates

The estimates in this report may differ from the actual, but unknown, population values. For a particular estimate, statisticians define this difference as the total error of the estimate. When describing the accuracy of survey results, it is convenient to discuss total error as the sum of sampling error and nonsampling error. Nonsampling error is the difference between the actual population parameter and the value that would be derived by surveying the entire set of units identified as the survey universe (the sampling frame). There are many potential contributors to nonsampling error – the inclusion of erroneous units in the survey (overcoverage), the exclusion of eligible units from the survey (undercoverage), nonresponse, misreporting, mistakes in recording and coding responses, misinterpretation of questions, and other errors of collection, response, coverage, or processing. Though nonsampling error is not measured directly, the Census Bureau employs quality control procedures throughout the process to minimize this type of error. Sampling error is the average difference between the estimate and the result that would be obtained from a complete enumeration of the sampling frame conducted under the same survey conditions. This error occurs because only a subset of the entire sampling frame is measured in a sample survey. Common measures of sampling error are the sampling variance, the standard error, and the coefficient of variation. The sampling variance is defined as the squared difference, averaged over all possible samples of the same size and design, between the estimator and its average value. The standard error is the square root of the sampling variance. The CV expresses the standard error as a percentage of the estimate to which it refers. For example, an estimate of 200 units that has an estimated standard error of 10 units has an estimated CV of 5 percent. The sampling variance, standard error, and CV of an estimate can be estimated from the selected sample because the sample was selected using probability sampling. Standard errors and coefficients of variation are given in Table 2 of this report.

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The first page of this release gives statements about the change in revenue from a prior period. Each change estimate is accompanied by a number in parentheses, called the “margin of error.” The margin of error can be used to construct a 90-percent confidence interval, which is interpreted as follows. If, for each possible sample, an estimate and its approximate standard error are obtained, then for approximately 90 percent of the possible samples, the interval from 1.895 standard errors below to 1.895 standard errors above the estimate would include the average of the estimates derived from all possible samples. If, for example, a particular change estimate is +1.2 percent and its associated margin of error is ± 1.5 percentage points, then the 90-percent confidence interval for the change estimate is -0.3 percent to +2.7 percent. If the interval contains 0, then one does not have sufficient evidence to conclude at the 90-percent confidence level that the actual change is different from zero. Each comparison stated in this report has undergone statistical testing and is significant at the 90-percent confidence level, unless otherwise noted. Data users should take into account the estimates of sampling error and the potential effects of nonsampling error when using the statistics in this publication.

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